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REFERENCES

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B - boxcar
F - flatcar
SSy - heavy-duty flatcar
RRym- " " "

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troop trains between 25X1
1 and 29 June 1954:

Date in June	Number of Cars	From	To
1	26	Zeitz	Crawinkel
	21	Jena	"
	15	Meiningen	Ohrdruf
5	27	Crawinkel	Zeitz
	24	"	Jena
6	14	Loessnitz	Koenigsbrueck
	65	Chemnitz	"
	19	Weissenfels	Ohrdruf
8	9	Ohrdruf	Meiningen
9	6, 6 SSy	Chemnitz	Johanngeorgen-stadt
10	6, 6 SSy	Johanngeorgen-stadt	Chemnitz 3
	46, 7 RRym	Weimar	Kroepelin

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	46	Weimar	Neubukow
12	45, 9 SSy	Eisenach	Altengrabow
13	45, 9 RRym	Bautzen	Roederau
14	23, 6 RRym	Ohrdruf	Altenburg
	15 B, 21 F	Altenburg	Ohrdruf
	9 B, 35 F	"	"
15	5 B, 28 F	"	"
	6 B, 26 F		
	11	Glauchau	Zeitz
	18	"	"
19	115	Ohrdruf	Altenburg
	2, 6 SSy	"	Suhl
	4,	"	Saalfeld
	4	"	Meiningen
	26	"	Plauen
	2, 4 RRym	Dornadorf	Ohrdruf
	26	Plauen	"
	12	Naumburg	Aken
	59	Eisenach	"
	50	Saalfeld	"
	7	Ohrdruf	"
	21	"	Wolfen Nelu
	14	Chemnitz	Bad Doberan
	6 B, 18 F	Altenburg	Apolda
	2 , 6 RRym	Dornadorf	Eisenach

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3. [redacted] Comment. The troop trains probably carried firing personnel details of components of the 20th Gds Mtn Div which had completed [illegible] at their posts.

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4. [redacted] Comment. The troop trains belonged to the 117th Gds Mtn Rifle Regt of the 39th Gds Mtn Rifle Div. AP 50450 confirms the regiment at Meiningen until 1 June 1954. The barracks installations (8101 and 8102) were occupied to capacity on 19 May 1954.

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5. [redacted] Comment. The troop trains probably carried components of the 6th Gds AAA Div which went to Koenigsbrueck and Wustrow for AAA firing practices, or relieved an AAA unit at Johann-Georgenstadt. AA gun emplacements of the division are located between Aue and Zwickau, and near Johann Georgenstadt. On 16 July 1954 [illegible] train from Koenigsbrueck and, on 6 July 1954, another troop train from Wustrow returned to Chemnitz.

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4. Comment. The two troop trains probably belonged to the 13th AAA Div.

5. Comment. On 23 May 1954, an engineer unit of the First Gds Mech Army was observed at Bautzen. This unit possibly was carried back to Zeithain by the troop train in the present report.

6. Comment. These troop trains which probably belonged to one of the artillery brigades of the Eighth Gds Army were previously observed passing through Weimar. They probably carried troops to three-day firing practices. On 10 and 26 June 1954, the two main installations at Altenburg were occupied to capacity.

7. Comment. The troop trains probably carried tank details of the 220th Hv Tk SP Regt to Forst Zeitz for firing practices.

8. Comment. The troop trains may have belonged to the 39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div. The 13th Mtrcl Bn of the 39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div. The 13th Mtrcl Bn of the 39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div is listed at Suhl.

9. Comment. The entraining of an engineer unit with 10 pontoons was observed at Eisenach on 22 June 1954. Since the Hubertus Kaserne (9382) at Naumburg was vacant on 25 June and 23 July 1954, it is believed that the 67th Engr Bn of the 57th Gds Mtz Rifle Div has been in the Dessau - Aken training area since 25 June 1954.

10. Comment. The entraining of the 45th Gds Engr Bn of the [illegible] Gds Mtz Rifle Div from Saalfeld on 24 June 1954 was previously confirmed. Thus, the present report contradicts [illegible] On and after 25 June 1954, the [illegible] actually was in the Dessau-Aken training area.

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